



THE WEATHER—Snow or rain in north; rain in south portions tonight. Fair Sunday Colder.

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THE HERALD

IS GROWING

EVERY DAY.

## WHOLE BUNCH FOR COMPLETE RESTORATION

### WANTS BRIBERY TAINT REMOVED

Kessler Would Rehabilitate 1600  
Adams County Voters.

### GREEN BILL HAS OPPOSITION

Friends and Opponents of Workmen's  
Compensation Measure Marshal  
Their Forces For Fight That Is  
Scheduled For House Floor Next  
Week—Swain and Finley In Saddle  
For Administration.

Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—Sixteen  
hundred voters of Adams county, who  
were disfranchised for five years by  
Judge A. Z. Blair of Portsmouth for  
selling their votes, will have their  
right of suffrage restored if the gen-  
eral assembly passes the bill intro-  
duced by Representative J. R. B.  
Kessler of Adams county.

Mr. Kessler contends that his fel-  
low inhabitants of Adams county  
have already suffered enough by  
Judge Blair's decree, and if they are  
restored to their full rights as citi-  
zens they never again will barter  
their honor for a paltry 10-spot.

Real test of the ability of Speaker  
Charles L. Swain of the house of rep-  
resentatives, backed by administra-  
tion influence, to hold Democratic  
members of the lower branch of the  
general assembly in line with party  
policies and pledges, will come when  
the Green workmen's compensation  
bill comes up for passage in the house  
next week. Senator Green, an admin-  
istration leader in the senate, put the  
measure across in his body without a  
single vote being recorded against it.  
That the measure will meet with  
opposition in the house is admitted by

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## HALTED BY THE PROTEST OF U. S. A.

### MADERO OWES LIFE TO KNOX PROTEST

Mexican Congress Again Discus-  
ses Fate of Former Ruler.

Mexico City, Feb. 22.—The protest  
of the American government against  
a summary execution of Francisco  
Madero may save the life of the ex-  
president, Ambassador Wilson, direct-  
ed by Secretary of State Knox, in-  
formed the provisional president, Gen-  
eral Huerta, that the United States  
would regard the military execution  
of Madero as an inhuman act.

Madero's fate still rests with the  
congress, which again began deliber-  
ating as to what course should be fol-  
lowed. General Huerta insists that  
whatever is done will be done legally,  
since civil authority has been re-  
stored. He has informed Senora Ma-  
dero that the life of her husband is  
in no immediate danger. There is no  
assurance among Madero's friends,  
however, that he will not meet the  
fate of his brother, Gustavo Madero.

While the people wait upon the gov-  
ernment's decision regarding Madero,

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### GUSTAVO MADERO

Brother of Deposed Mexican  
President Shot by Rebels.



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## WELL, WELL! GOOD CHANCE FOR SULZER TO SHINE

### OFFERED BRIBE TO FREE THAW

Governor Sulzer Probes Story  
From Matteawan Asylum.

### SEVERAL PERSONS INVOLVED

Dr. Russell, Superintendent of Insti-  
tution, Can Not Remember Name of  
Lawyer Who Promised Him \$20,000  
If He Would Sign Certificate De-  
claring Stanford White's Slayer To  
Be of Sound Mind.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 22.—A bribe of  
\$20,000 to release Harry K. Thaw  
from the Matteawan state hospital for  
the criminal insane was offered to Dr.  
John R. Russell, the superintendent  
of the institution, last November, ac-  
cording to his own testimony before  
the Sulzer committee of inquiry. This  
was the result of a charge that Wil-  
liam F. Clark, a friend of Governor  
Sulzer and secretary of the probe  
committee, had tried to influence Dr.  
Russell and Dr. James May, the presi-  
dent of the state hospital committee,  
to give Harry Thaw his freedom.

Thaw can only be released upon a  
supreme court order or through a cer-  
tificate signed by Dr. Russell that he  
has recovered his mental balance. It  
is this certificate of recovery which  
Dr. Russell said an attempt was made  
to bribe him to give.

Governor Sulzer said that Dr. May  
saw him a week or ten days ago and  
said that Dr. Russell had been en-  
deavoring to get Dr. May to use his  
influence toward Thaw's release. The  
governor told Dr. May that no one  
was authorized to use his name in  
connection with the Thaw case and  
then sent for Mr. Clark.

"Mr. Clark denied that he had been  
using my name in connection with  
the Thaw case," said the governor,  
"and I let it go at that."

When Governor Sulzer's attention  
was called to the fact that Dr. Russell  
could not remember the name of the  
lawyer who attempted to bribe him,  
he said: "Dr. Russell ought to be  
compelled to disclose the name."

John H. Delaney, one of the mem-  
bers of the probe committee, and Mr.  
Clark stated that a Jewish lawyer of  
New York city had \$25,000 to give  
Dr. Russell and that \$20,000 had been  
given to Dr. Russell upon condition  
that Thaw would be released before  
the end of December.

## AKRON STRIKE IS PASSED ON TO EXECUTIVE

### ARBITRATORS MAKE REPORT

One Tells Governor Akron Sit-  
uation Is Serious.

### BELIEVES TROOPS ARE NEEDED

Rev. Theodore I. Reese Says Bitter  
Feeling Among Rubber Workers  
Largely Due to Friction Between I.  
W. W. and A. F. of L. Leaders.  
Trouble Involving Thousands Start-  
ed Over Wage Dispute of 60 Men.

Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—Governor  
Cox conferred today with the mem-  
bers of the state board of arbitration,  
who have made an investigation of  
the causes leading to the strike of  
12,000 rubber workers at Akron.

Rev. Theodore Irving Reese, a  
member of the board, declared that he  
would not be surprised if troops should  
be necessary by next week unless the  
manufacturers accept the wage propo-  
sitions that are to be submitted to  
them within the next day or two. He  
reports the feeling very bitter, and he  
thinks conditions are growing worse.  
Mr. Lattimer believes that if the I. W.  
W. agitators were out of the way, set-  
tlement could be reached speedily.

The situation is complicated beyond  
most strikes, from the fact that two  
organizations, the I. W. W. and the  
American Federation of Labor, are  
struggling to control the strikers.

The present agitation, that involves  
several thousand workmen, two-thirds  
of whom are men and most of whom  
are Americans, grew out of a differ-  
ence of opinion affecting only 50 men.  
None of the other strikers as yet has  
any grievance. The others have not  
told their employers what they want  
or what is the trouble.

Some time ago the Firestone com-  
pany introduced machines into one  
branch of the factory which so far sim-  
plified the labor of some of the men  
that where they had been averaging  
\$3 a day, they soon made \$6 and \$7 a  
day. Other workmen asked a read-  
justment and a scale committee re-

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## FAVORS THE ROOSEVELT IDEA OF REGULATION

Conant Would Have the Government  
Punish Bad Trusts.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Luther Con-  
ant, Jr., commissioner of corpora-  
tions, came out in opposition to the  
much-discussed proposition for tolera-  
tion of monopolies under governmen-  
tal regulation and urged the continua-  
tion of the policy which permits com-  
petition among the industries of the  
United States.

In his annual report to Secretary  
Nagel the commissioner says that re-  
cent court decisions under the Sher-  
man anti-trust act have demonstrated  
that statute is effective to reach con-  
solidations which so cross the border  
line of monopolistic control as to be  
detrimental to the public interest.

The creation of a proposed trade-  
commission, with powers of regula-  
tion over private corporations, similar  
to those exercised by the interstate  
commerce commission, would mean,  
the commissioner declares, "the sub-  
stitution of a marked degree of pater-  
nalism for that freedom of individual  
action under which, despite admitted-  
ly flagrant abuses, the country has at-  
tained an almost unparalleled pros-  
perity."

### POPE PIUS X

Advised by Physicians to  
Take Much-Needed Rest.



## TWO DAY SESSION IS NOW OPEN AND BUSY

### MAKE PLANS FOR PERRY MEMORIAL

Committee From Participating  
States Meets In East.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 22.—The ex-  
ecutive committee of the Perry me-  
morial commission, which is planning  
the memorial and centennial at Put-  
in-Bay of the victory of Commodore  
Perry on Lake Erie, began a two-day  
session at the Narragansett hotel.  
The centennial will extend from July  
4 to Oct. 5.

Much routine business of prepara-  
tion was disposed of at the session.  
President General Worthington re-  
ported that of the appropriations  
made \$505,000 is available. In addi-  
tion to this further appropriations are  
expected as follows: Ohio, \$115,000,  
in addition to \$68,000 already appro-  
priated; New York, \$150,000; Minne-  
sota, \$50,000; Illinois, \$80,000; Michi-  
gan, \$50,000; Pennsylvania, \$75,000,  
in addition to \$75,000 already appropri-  
ated.

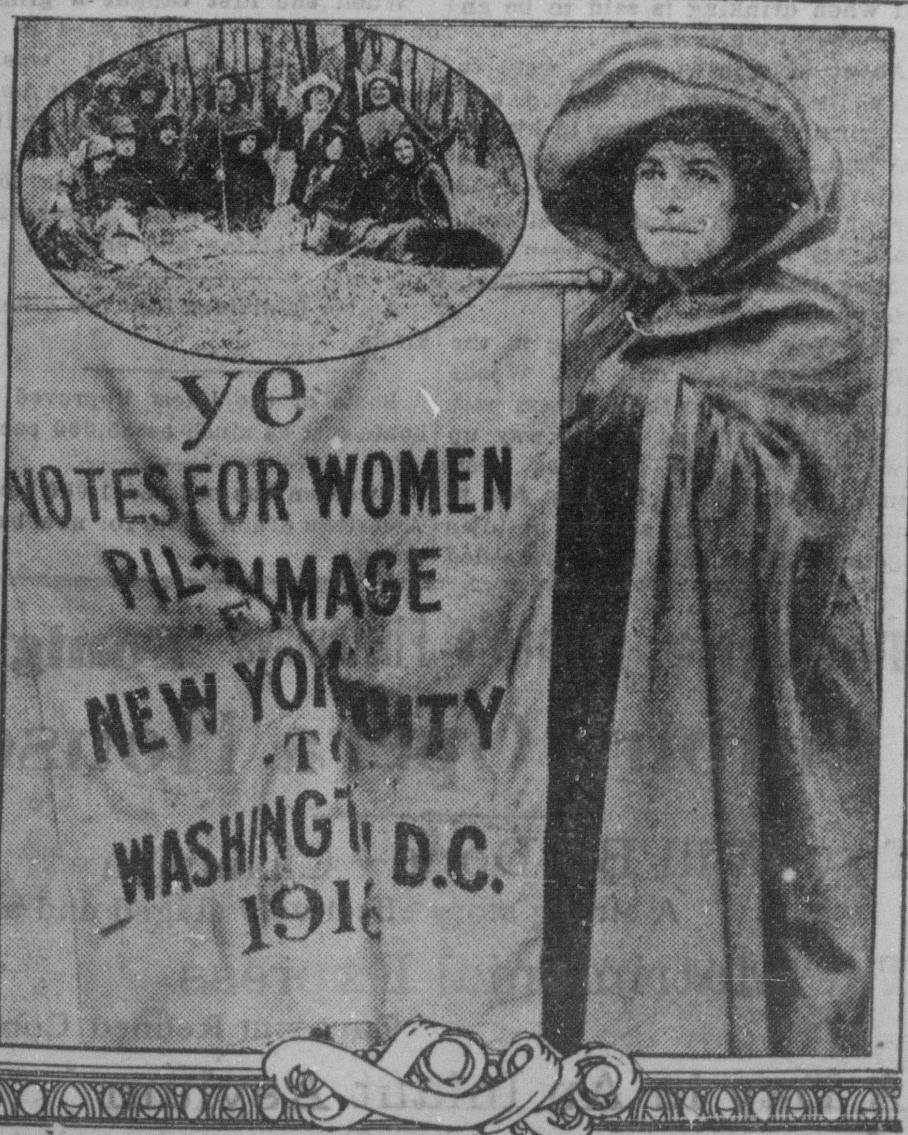
The following members of the ex-  
ecutive committee were present:  
President General George P. Worthing-  
ton, Cleveland; Secretary General  
Webster P. Huntington, Columbus;  
Treasurer General A. E. Sisson, Erie,  
Pa.; Auditor General Colonel Harry  
Cutter of Providence; Congressman  
M. W. Shreve, Erie, Pa.; George W.  
Parker, Detroit; Financial Secretary  
Mackenzie R. Tod, Cleveland. For  
the United States government: Lieut-  
enant General Nelson A. Miles of  
Washington; Rear Admiral H. C. Da-  
vis, Washington; General Kelfer,  
Springfield, O.; Senator John M.  
Whitehead, Janesville, Wis.

The committee were guests this af-  
ternoon of the First Light infantry at  
the Washington day observances, and  
will attend a dinner at the Narragan-  
sett hotel in the evening.

## Will Appeal Pension Case

Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—Whether or  
not the law providing pensions for in-  
digent blind persons of the county is  
unconstitutional will be tested in the  
higher courts. M. B. Earnhart, who  
brought the mandamus suit against  
the county budget commission for  
A. D. Brunner, a blind pensioner, to  
force the commission to levy funds  
sufficient to pay the pension, which  
had been cut, owing to a lack of funds  
of the county, says that he will appeal  
the case.

### "On To Washington or Bust!" Slogan of Suffragist "Army"



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THEY'RE tramping on. Their slogan is "Washington or bust," with  
very little chance of busting. Who? Why ask? "General" Rosalie  
Jones and her "army," of course. Leaving New York on Feb. 12—a  
good day, by the way, because it is Lincoln's birthday—the suffragists  
wowed they'd "cross the Delaware" a la Washington and reach the national  
capital in good season for the inaugural curtain raiser of March 3. The illus-  
trations show "General" Jones, with her "votes for women" standard and her  
"army," in their marching pilgrim uniforms.



**Final Clean-Up Sale****MEN'S SHOES****\$1.49**

100 pairs West Point and Knox  
Dress Shoes worth \$3.00  
\$3.50 and \$4.00

Get your shoes tonight

**Leo Katz & Co****Final Clean-Up Sale****Men's Dress Shirts**

Quite an assortment of Men's  
fine Dress Shirts, worth  
\$1.00 and \$1.50

Tonight at

**50c****Leo Katz & Co.****Final Clean-Up Sale****Ladies' Fall Coats****\$3.98**

Choice of any Ladies' Novelty  
Coat at the price—most of them  
worth from \$10 to \$20

Another lot go tonight at **\$1.98****Leo Katz & Co.****Join the Saw-Buck Contest and Read Our Ads---See Our Values****MAD DOG ATTACKS  
AND BITES A CHILD**

**Animal's Head Sent to Columbus  
Where Examination Shows Dog  
Which Bit Child of Mr. and  
Mrs. John W. Weyer, Had the  
Rabies---All Dogs Must Be  
Muzzled or Be Killed.**

As a result of being bitten by a dog which has since been found to be suffering with hydrophobia, an eight-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Weyer, of South Main St., is now taking treatment to prevent death in one of its most horrible forms, and the first dose of the antitoxin was administered by Dr. Stitt Saturday.

A few days ago a stray dog which had been hanging about the neighborhood where the Weyer family live was noticed acting somewhat strangely, but was apparently not vicious. However, while the child of Mr. and Mrs. Weyer was playing with the dog it attacked the little tot, inflicting a wound on the hand.

Residents of the neighborhood killed the dog, and Mr. Weyer, thinking the dog might have the rabies, and wishing to take no chances where the life of his child was concerned, sent the dog's head to Health Officer Bradfute, who in turn sent it to Dr. T. R. Brown, the specialist at Columbus, who examined it and sent a telegram stating his findings, the telegram reaching here Friday evening.

Steps were taken at once to administer the Pasteur treatment to the child, and this is now being done by Dr. Stitt, the antitoxin being shipped to this city from the laboratory at Columbus.

Meanwhile the edict has gone forth to muzzle all dogs for a short period of time, or they will be ushered into eternity by a well directed bullet from a policeman's gun, and the police have commenced to carry out their instructions.

**Muzzle Your Dogs**

The appearance of rabies in the city once more makes it absolutely necessary that proper precaution be taken to prevent spread of the disease, and all owners of dogs are hereby notified to muzzle your dogs and keep them muzzled until further notice.

Dogs caught at large without a muzzle on will be killed by the police.

F. M. McCoy,  
Chief of Police.

**Rewiring The  
Court House**

Electricians have been busy rewiring the court house, removing the old wiring and substituting with conduit wiring, which has been approved by the state examiner.

The unsightly gas light fixtures are being removed and the neatness of the electric light fixtures adds much to the appearance of the various rooms of the court house.

The electricians are now engaged in wiring the offices of the probate judge and will soon have their work completed.

**Akron Strike Passed  
On to Executive**

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vised figures so that these men could easily average \$3.50 a day. This they refused to accept and then the strike spread from a handful of men in one plant to practically all the employees in all plants.

Rev. Mr. Reese and Mr. Lattimer say that they found both city and county officials quiescent, but when the board began to talk with them they became more active. The sheriff now has several hundred deputies.

**OBITUARY.**

Lizzie May Ralston, the fourth daughter of Hiram and Elizabeth Ralston was born May 2, 1869, in Ross county, and died February 14, 1913, in Washington C. H., at the home of her father, after months of patient suffering.

She was married July 11th, 1889, to John Minney, to which union, no children were born; but her kind, tender disposition prompted her to take Wilbur, the 14 months old son of a deceased relative to nurture and care for, as her own, who with the husband, father, mother, brothers and sisters are left to mourn their loss.

Mrs. Minney united with the Methodist church at Denver, Ross county, Ohio, in 1892 and although not always being able to attend church services, she has been a good Christian woman, always ready with a loving heart, and willing hand to help those that need assistance, and the family knew, when they came to Lizzie she would ever be ready to help.

Her daily walk and conversation were proof of her Christianity.

During her late sickness she at all times spoke of her readiness and willingness to go whenever the Master called.

For several days before her death, she called repeatedly for a brother and sister that she had not seen for some time.

About one hour before she died, they arrived.

After greeting them with smiles, she was ready, and quietly passed away.

Sleep thy last sleep,

Free from care and sorrow,

Rest, where none weep,

Till the eternal morrow;

Though dark waves roll

O'er the silent river,

Thy fainting soul

Jesus can deliver.

Though we may mourn

Those in life the dearest,

They shall return,

Christ, when thou appearist

Soon shall thy voice

Comfort those now weeping,

Bidding rejoice

All in Jesus sleeping.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We desire to thank the neighbors and friends, who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of my wife, Lizzie Minney; also to thank Rev. West.

JOHN MINNEY,

Mr. and Mrs. Ralston and family.

**Sells Fine  
Drove of Hogs**

Saturday James brothers of Jeffersonville, shipped 62 head of fancy fat hogs, averaging 262 pounds each, and the price received was \$8.50, the animals being purchased several days ago, but not ordered shipped until Saturday.

A few days ago the same men sold a bunch of cattle averaging 1225 pounds. There was 51 cattle in the herd, and the price received by Messrs. James was the very highest, owing to the prime condition of the animals.

Night schools which have been established in the Kentucky mountains include pupils up to the age of 83. The elementary studies are taken up.

Boon Washington; buy at home.

**Bootleggers Rob  
Saloon for Booze**

A trio of bootleggers from the Greenfield vicinity have gotten into serious trouble by breaking into one of the saloons in Bainbridge and stealing their supply of liquor.

The second time they did the trick, Thursday night, they were captured, their hearing on a charge of larceny and burglary is expected to result in a term in jail and later a heavy fine.

The men stole a large quantity of the liquor and concealed a part of it along Paint creek, where it was later discovered.

**George Washington  
Entertainment**

The children of Miss Anna Bell's primary department of the Public Schools put on an exceedingly pretty and attractive Washington's birthday entertainment Friday afternoon in their room at Central.

The room was packed with parents and friends, who were delighted with the entire program and the cunning little tots as they appeared under Miss Bell's splendid training.

The room showed very elaborate decorations, kindergarten designs and cuttings, and flags making it bright with color, and all the children's own work.

During the first period the children went through their regular work, giving to parents insight into what they are doing every day.

The "action lesson" was of special interest. There were many taking songs and recitations, the children, all in white, wearing red, white and blue caps and carrying flags, presenting a pretty picture.

Especially attractive was the song "The Foreign People," in which each child carried "Old Glory" and the flag of a foreign nation. At the close the flag of every nation was unfurled and the children named them and told incidents of present day interest connected with the country.

The program closed with a beautiful tableau, "The Living Flag," in which all fifty pupils grouped to form the flag, marching in turn to make the stripes and star covered field of blue.

The forming of the living flag was the result of much practice and a very effective finale.

**ACCUSED OF UNPRO-  
FESSIONAL CONDUCT.**

An Ironton dispatch to the Enquirer reports grave charges against Attorney C. M. Humes, some years ago principal of the Washington C. H. High school and a teacher of recognized ability.

The dispatch says: A committee named by Judge E. E. Corn today reported that Attorney C. M. Humes was guilty of unprofessional conduct and matters involving moral turpitude. Judge Corn says he will appoint a committee to bring disbarment proceedings against the attorney.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

Mr. Frank Dale and family wish to express heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors who were so kind during the illness and death of his wife; to the choir, minister and undertaker and to those who sent flowers in remembrance.

**NOTORIOUS CHARACTER  
FACES GRAVE CHARGES**

**Albert Douglas, of West New  
Holland, Is in the County Jail  
Charged With Making a Vil-  
lainous Attack on Mrs. Charles  
Wood, of the Same Place.**

Albert Douglas, aged 28, a notorious character from New Holland, is confined in the county jail on a very serious charge preferred against him by Mrs. Charles Wood, who resides near the West Holland school house just over the line in this county.

The offense with which young Douglas is charged is alleged to have taken place at the Wood home Thursday night about seven o'clock, during the absence of her husband, and the charge she placed against Douglas in the affidavit filed here is assault with criminal intent.

Mrs. Wood and her husband came to this city Friday evening, and after consulting Attorney A. C. Patton filed the affidavit for the arrest of Douglas. The local police department took the affair up at once, with the result that Douglas was placed under arrest and landed in the county jail in this city at nine o'clock Friday night, and the preliminary hearing of the case will be held before Mayor Smith next Thursday.

Douglas is a son of John Douglas living near the mill in New Holland, and has been in trouble numerous times. He is a man of powerful build and when drinking is said to be an ugly proposition to handle.

About 16 months ago he went to Circleville, became intoxicated and shot up a saloon, resulting in his arrest and sentence to one year in the Zanesville workhouse. He served part of the sentence and was released. Since his release he has been conducting himself in a fairly respectable manner.

Thursday night, according to the information given out, Mr. Woods started to go up to the business part of New Holland and on his way up town he passed the Douglas residence, where young Douglas fell in with him and they started up-town together. They had not proceeded

far when Douglas is alleged to have remarked that he had forgotten his tobacco, and he would return and get it, and would not go up town.

Then, according to the story of Mrs. Wood, he went to the Wood residence where he knocked, and when she opened the door he seized her, and a terrific struggle ensued, in which she was badly scratched and bruised, but her screams for help evidently frightened him and he left.

As a result of the attack Mrs. Wood, who is a rather frail woman, is almost a complete physical wreck and could barely use her arms owing to the manner in which they had been bruised by the powerful grasp of her villainous assailant.

**Still Lingers  
At Death's Door**

Nina Brandon, the colored woman who was shot by Blaine Hurley while walking on East Temple street Thursday night, is still alive, and is a trifle improved, but the physicians have little hopes of her recovery, owing to the serious nature of her wounds, as such wounds almost invariably prove fatal.

She is conscious and has told her story regarding the shooting, saying that Hurley shot her when she refused to stay away from the dance, and that he held her hand while he did the shooting, so that there was no chance to escape.

When she first caught a glimpse of the weapon as it flashed in the moonlight, she thought it was a knife, and uttered a cry. He immediately threw the gun into position and pulled the trigger.

Hurley is taking the affair coolly, and has joined fellow prisoners in laughing, talking and singing.

Amber is divided into 100 different kinds.

Some of the latest improved lifeboats cost as much as \$5,000 each.

Sweeden has ordered 1,000 tons of American armor plate for new battleships.

**Tonight Colman's Photoplays Tonight  
Empire Opera House****Thy Will Be Done—Champion**

A strong story effectively staged and acted

**The Matrimonial Express**

Gaumont Refined Comedy

**A Day in An Infant Asylum**

Little Tots at study and at play

**He Had But 50 Cents—Imp Comedy****One Other Reel****4 Reels Good Pictures. 1 hour's Show  
Everything big but the price 5c****5c Palace Theater**

DAYLIGHT PICTURES.

**The Woman Behind The Man**

Showing the difference between a hundred dollar a week family and a twenty-five dollar a week couple

**The New Neighbor**

Errors of a young husband with much groundless jealousy of his wife, and comes to grief for his folly

**Rough on Rats**

The hero of this story, played by Herbert Pryor, is supposed to be dying from eating "rough on rats."

**Riley and Schultz**

Three policemen and an escaped convict

**The Baby and the Cop**

Showing the fattening effects of a certain medicine



# STUTSON'S TONIGHT

## Extra Special 40 LADIES' COATS

Novelties and Chinchillas, value

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ON SALE TONIGHT

**\$3<sup>95</sup>**

Come and see us  
**STUTSON'S**

### IN SOCIETY

The masquerade dance of the Terpsichorean club proved a gay affair of the Washington birthday season at the Pythian Castle Friday evening.

Ninety couples were in attendance the larger portion unmasked. The fantastic costumes of the maskers provided fun galore until half past nine o'clock, when the dancers unmasked for the remainder of the evening.

Mr. Alex. Ballard and Miss Margaret Geiger, of Troy, led the grand march.

The Saxophone orchestra provided splendid music and a committee of club members served a refreshing buffet lunch. The tables were artistically decorated with carnations and greenery.

Among the guests were a number from younger society circles of neighboring cities.

The dance committee included Messrs. Ed Hutson, Alex. Ballard and Clarence Craig and the affair was on a more elaborate scale than the usual Friday evening club dance.

The spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. George Adams was the scene of an exceedingly pretty Washington's birthday dance Friday night when the young son of the house, Wilbur,

entertained the club of boys and girls known as "The Sour Pickles and Stuffed Olives," in compliment to his guest, Logan Herbert, of Columbus.

There were ten couples present and the evening was altogether as delightful as cordial hospitality and a merry crowd of young people could make it.

The music room and large dining room, thrown together, with the rugs removed from the hardwood floors made an excellent ball room and Whelpley and Miller furnished delightful music, perfect in time and rhythm.

Flags and bunting were used in patriotic decoration all over the house and the supper room was very elaborate in its trappings. Flags entirely screened the walls and crimson draperies were festooned overhead. The table was a picture with bright red cherries, hatchets and bouquets and softly lighted with red candles. Pin flags were the souvenirs. George Washington suggestions were carried out in the delicious luncheon served.

Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Cal Holmes and Miss Pauline Adams assisted the handsome young host in doing the honors of the evening. Miss Georgia Bell and Helen Hays were out-of-town guests.

pany is installing in the new High school building. Mr. Bush has just returned from Chillicothe where the same company installed the plumbing in the new Western school.

Miss Charlotte Dahl spent Friday in Columbus.

Mr. Cecil Allen who has just finished his course at Bliss college, left this morning for New Orleans to accept a position with the Southern Pacific Railroad company.

Miss Evelyn Lawrence, of Columbus, was the guest of Miss Anne Lawrence Friday night to attend the masquerade dance.

Miss Marie Lanum comes home from Oxford university to spend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Donohoe and daughter, Dorothy Mildred, are visiting friends in Clarksburg over Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Smith is critically ill at her home on S. Sycamore street.

Mrs. Jennie Holt returned to her home in Wilmington Saturday after a visit with Mrs. Peter Lauderback and Miss Jennie Clark.

Mr. Urban A. Hidy, of the city High school, is spending a couple of days at his alma mater, Antioch college, attending a Washington birthday banquet and other festivities.

Mr. Frank Plymire has moved his family from the Melvin property on Paint to the Mayer property on S. Main.

Mr. Will C. Smyth, of Batavia, is visiting his father, Mr. Cornelius Smyth, on Washington avenue.

### Defective Teeth Retard Students

"It requires children having defective teeth at least six months longer to complete the elementary school course than it does for children not so afflicted," declares Health Officer J. H. Landis in the weekly bulletin of the health department. "We have sufficient data to demonstrate without a doubt the close relationship of oral hygiene to good scholarship." Dr. Landis states that of 28,441 school children whose teeth were examined since 1909, 25,608 were found suffering from dental defects. "Unclean teeth were the rule," says Dr. Landis. He declares that the expense incurred in employing a chief dental inspector, four dental operators and two assistants "will mean more perfect physical development, greater freedom from preventable disease, a shorter average period in school and a wider dissemination of information concerning hygiene."—Times Star.

Doctors are aiding the anti-noise crusade in Baltimore.

**Lion Collars**  
Old Brand in America

Mr. E. E. Bush, of the Allen Construction Co., is in Frankfort today supervising the plumbing this com-

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. Wilbur Welton returned Saturday from a month's visit with his aunt, Mrs. John Allen, in Florence, Ala.

Mr. H. K. Stewart has returned from Lima, where he attended a Duroc Jersey brood sow sale of the Northern Ohio circuit.

Mr. John W. Wilson returned Friday night from Chillicothe, where he spent the week overseeing the roofing of the new school building.

Mr. James Ballard attended the Washington birthday dance at Mt. Sterling Friday night.

Herbert Wilson went to Dayton Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. Forest Horne.

Mrs. Frances Mills, of Wilmington, is visiting Mrs. Ruth Brownell and daughter, Miss Lucy.

Logan Herbert, of Columbus, is the week end guest of Wilbur Adams and Ervin Bailey.

Miss Ruth Kelly is the guest of her cousin, Miss Nell Clybourne in Jeffersonville, over Sunday.

Miss Mabel Briggs came up from Cincinnati where she is attending the Conservatory of Music, Saturday afternoon, owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Os Briggs.

Mrs. A. W. Flegle, of Crawford,

### City Churches

**Grace M. E. Church.**  
Rev. F. E. Ross, Pastor.  
Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. C. E. Lloyd, superintendent.  
Morning worship at 10:30 a. m.  
Dr. W. B. Cherrington, district superintendent, will preach.  
Epworth League meeting at 6:15.  
Evening worship 7:00 p. m. Rev. Ross will preach. Subject: "Saving Others; the Problem and the Price."

Special evangelistic services. Harry P. Hunter will have charge of the music.

**WESLEY CHAPEL.**  
Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Rev. A. W. West, Pastor.  
Bible school 9:30 a. m. J. Howard Hicks, superintendent.  
Morning service 10:45. Subject: "The Consciousness of God."  
B. Y. P. U., 6:15.  
Evening service 7:00 p. m. Subject of sermon: "What is Your Life?"

Business meeting Thursday, 7:30. All the members are requested to attend this service.

**St. Andrew's Mission.**  
(Episcopal.)  
Services will be conducted by Mr. Thompson Sunday, Feb. 23rd, at 10:45 a. m., third floor Memorial hall. The public cordially invited.

**Presbyterian Church.**  
Rev. Wm. Irwin Campbell, Pastor.  
Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m.  
Morning worship 10:30. Subject: "St. Paul as a Statesman."  
Christian Endeavor Society, 6:15 p. m.  
Evening worship 7:30. Subject: "Christ and Life."

**Church of Christ.**  
Bowman Hostetter, Pastor.  
Bible school, 9:15 a. m. Orlan Snider superintendent.  
Communion and preaching 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon: "God's Appeal to the Bigness in Man."  
Jr. C. E., 2:30 p. m. Della Cartwright, Supt.  
C. E. Prayer meeting 6:00 p. m. Topic: "Medical Missions." Leader, L. Etta Rannells.

Evangelistic meeting 7:00 p. m. Subject of sermon: "Saved from Your Sins."  
Mid-week prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

**Oak Grove.**  
Bible school 2 p. m.  
Preaching 3 p. m.

### Secures Lease For Livery Barn

Mr. Harry F. Brown, County Commissioner, has leased the Peddicord building now occupied by Rothrock's Livery, and will open a thoroughly equipped livery and sales barn on May 1st, following Mr. Rothrock's retirement from the business.

The building will be remodeled and some extensive changes made, which will include the installation of an electric elevator and rearrangement of the two floors.

Practically all of his livery equipment will be brand new, and quite a number of good horses will be kept at all times, so that it will be a first-class livery barn in detail.

The building is now the property of Moore and Jamison, and it is from them that Mr. Brown secures the lease.

### Ladies' Temple K. G. E. Entertain

The Ladies' Temple, Knights of the Golden Eagle, delightfully entertained with a banquet Friday night in honor of Miss Pearl Tumleson, who expects to leave Washington soon to join her mother in Bentonville. Miss Tumleson has been a very popular member of the Temple and her contemplated departure is a source of much regret. A number of complimentary farewell speeches were made in her honor.

Fifty men and women were present and the evening was most enjoyable.

#### NOTICE!

Parrett's grocery will be closed all day on Monday, February 24th, on account of the funeral of B. H. Parrett, which will occur at the family residence on the Jeffersonville pike at 10 o'clock a. m., standard time, on that day.

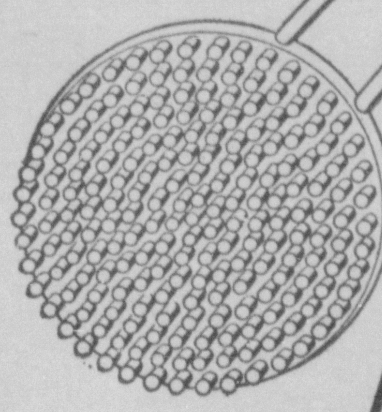
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## Ugly Facts Are Disclosed to Gaze

The disclosure of the investigations into the affairs of the State Superintendent of Banks, Baxter, thus far made public, all point clearly to the conclusion that Mr. Baxter has fallen into the error which has proved the undoing of so many public officials.

That error consisted of nothing more nor less than using trust funds in his own personal business.

While all of the trust funds, thirty thousand dollars, which Mr. Baxter is charged with having diverted from the proper channels making them, for the time being, serve his own interests, resulting to his own advantage instead of to the interest and advantage of those who must ultimately receive the funds have been returned by him to the proper account, yet can he escape the consequences of the actual wrong?

Mr. Baxter did not, evidently, have any intention of permanently depriving the real owners of their money. He did, though, it is claimed, what so many misguided men have done, use trust funds with the intention of returning them intact.

Mr. Baxter was more fortunate in being able to return the trust funds than thousands of men before him who have been guilty of making the same mistake, have been.

Whether the facts, finally uncovered by Attorney General Hogan and Prosecutor Turner, who are now investigating the whole matter, will be sufficient, under the law, to convict Mr. Baxter of a felony or not remains to be seen.

Certain it seems, however, from the facts thus far made public, that the State Superintendent of Banks has been guilty of a great moral wrong.

While thousands of poor people who had their all in the bank which he forced into liquidation, are suffering for the money, Baxter, the public servant was busily engaged in delaying the closing up of the trust and in switching trust funds about in order to enrich himself when he should have been straining every energy to close up the trust and pay the money to the people who needed it and to whom it rightfully belonged.

In his lapse from duty it would seem that Baxter was simply following out the antiquated rule so long in vogue among a class of politicians and officeholders that any wrong no matter how great a one was permissible so long as the consequences of the criminal statutes were dodged.

But there has arisen a demand that public officials be honest in fact in their service. There has been written into the criminal laws of the state by public opinion a spirit and a meaning which rises above the technicality of the law, and, if the published reports are true, the statutes thus amended by public opinion, may be broad enough to inflict a penalty on Mr. Baxter for his wrongful acts.

The time has gone by when public officials can appropriate the public funds to their own use and then when frightened borrow the money, make restitution and escape the consequences.

The wrong is in the taking in the first instance and that wrong, public sentiment now demands shall be punished.

Unfortunately Mr. Baxter is not the only public official who is unaware of the important amendment which public opinion has written into the criminal statutes and into the code which regulates the conduct of public officials.

Honesty in the public service is now demanded and technical honesty only will not suffice—it must be honesty in fact.

## American Girl Is A Finished Venus

By HARRISON FISHER, Artist

THE AMERICAN GIRL IS A FINISHED VENUS. SHE IS THE LAST WORD, THE SUPERLATIVELY BRED PRODUCT, THE TOPMOST FLOWER ON THE TREE OF CIVILIZATION. SHE IS LOVELIER THAN ALL THE BEAUTIES OF EARLIER AGES BECAUSE SHE HAS WHAT THEY HAD—AND SOMETHING MORE. SHE IS SUBTLE WHERE THEY WERE SIMPLE, POLISHED WHERE THEY WERE ROUGH, DELICATE WHERE THEY WERE CRUDE. IN A WORD, SHE IS COMPLETE—FINISHED.

EVERYTHING IS DONE FOR HER BEAUTY. She is fed, dressed, exercised in strict accord with the very latest discoveries of science. She is not allowed to wear herself out with physical labor, nor is she permitted to grow weak and flabby from underexercise. EVERY FORM OF HEALTHFUL EXERCISE IS OPEN TO HER, and every hygienic comfort is at her disposal. She has sun and air and free movement of the limbs, just as the Greek women had, and she owns so many other aids to beauty of which they never dreamed.

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## Poetry For Today

## THE VAGABOND.

Give to me the life I love,  
Let the love go by me.  
Give the jolly heaven above  
And the byway high me.  
Bed in the bush with stars to see,  
Bread I dip in the river—  
There's the life for a man like me,  
There's the life forever.

Let the blow fall soon or late,  
Let what will be o'er me;  
Give the face of earth around  
And the road before me.  
Wealth I seek not, hope nor love,  
Nor a friend to know me;  
All I seek, the Heaven above  
And the road below me.

Or let autumn fall on me  
Where afield I linger,  
Silencing the bird on tree,  
Biting the blue finger.  
White as meal the frosty field—  
Warm as the fireside haven—  
Not to autumn will I yield,  
Not to winter, even!

Let the blow fall soon or late,  
Let what will befall me;  
Give the face of earth around,  
And the road before me.  
Wealth I ask not, hope, nor love,  
Nor a friend to know me;  
All I ask, the heaven above  
And the road below me.  
—Robert Louis Stevenson.

## Weather Report

Washington, February 22.—Ohio—Rain Saturday, probably turning to snow in north portion; colder; Sunday fair; high east, shifting to northwest winds.

West Virginia—Clearing and colder Saturday; Sunday fair and colder. Kentucky and Tennessee—Cloudy and much colder, preceded by rain in east portions Saturday; Sunday fair. Illinois—Clearing in south, snow in north portion; colder Saturday; Sunday fair; high north and northwest winds.

Indiana—Rain, followed by clearing in south and snow in north portion Saturday; colder; Sunday probably fair; high north and northwest winds.

Lower Michigan—Snow, with high northeast winds, shifting to northwest, Saturday; Sunday snow flurries.

## WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau, taken at 8 p. m. Friday:

	Temp.	Weather.
Boston .....	46	Cloudy
New York .....	52	Rain
Washington .....	58	Cloudy
Buffalo .....	28	Cloudy
Columbus .....	55	Cloudy
Chicago .....	34	Cloudy
St. Louis .....	58	Cloudy
St. Paul .....	22	Clear
Los Angeles .....	44	Rain
New Orleans .....	72	Cloudy
Seattle .....	44	Clear
Atlanta .....	56	Clear
Winnipeg .....	0	Clear

## Weather Forecast.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Indications for tomorrow:  
Ohio—Fair; high east winds, shifting to northwest.

## DAILY RIDDLES

## Questions.

1. Why is a cricket on the hearth like a soldier in battle?
2. Join a noun and an adjective and make a verb.
3. If the earth were annihilated why would it be a pleasant pastime to make it again?
4. What is it you must keep after giving it to another?
5. How would you express in one word having met a doctor of medicine?

## Answers.

1. Both face the fire.
2. Impeach; imp, each.
3. It would be recreation.
4. Your word.
5. Met-a-physician.

## Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and acts in the blood. It is sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## THE HERALD NEWS 40 YEARS AGO

September 27, 1866.

"Why, there are maidens of heroic touch,  
And yet they seem like things of gossamer  
You'd pinch the life out of, as out of moths,  
Oh, it is not loud tones or mouth-  
ingness,  
'Tis not the arms akimbo and large strides,  
That make a woman's force; the tin-  
test birds,  
With softest downy breasts, have  
passions in them,  
And are brave in love."

We saw one of those "tiniest birds with downy breasts" go into Cleveland's new drug store and buy one bottle each of musk, Night Blooming Cereus, Marvel of Peru, Egyptian Lotus, Golden Lily of Japan, Pearl Drops and Sozodent, also a hair brush, tooth brush, one box of telegraph pills, a pink saucer and a package of domestic dyes.

She remarked to the doctor that she had "hearn tell" he kept a mighty decent grocery, without anything to drink stronger than "spirits of turpentine or castor oil." She was glad to hear it. She didn't like to see any one drink more than his skin could hold.

The doctor was so overcome by the compliment that he forgot to ask to whom he should charge the goods, and requests us to inquire if any of our readers have seen this "downy bird."

Delicious Apples: We are indebted to Mr. H. H. Edwards for a basket of uncommonly fine large apples. Also to Mr. Fuller Hess for a similar favor.

Also Mrs. Sarah A. White has our thanks for a basket of nice large apples.

Town Alive: Mike Lipman's Great Circus and Show of Animals is coming to town Saturday. There will undoubtedly be a great mass meeting of men, women and wild animals, tamed and trained, all of them, the animals in particular—in a miraculous manner. See the great advertisement.

## INTERESTING BITS OF NEWS

New Philadelphia and Canal Dover are talking over a proposition, preliminary to joining the two municipalities. There must have been considerable growth in these two Tuscarawas county towns in late years to make it possible for New Philadelphia to talk to her neighbor, Dover, over the back fence.

A gang of boys and young men, calling themselves the "Allen gang" have committed many bold depredations in Greenfield recently. Tobacco, whiskey, chewing gum and candy and what money they can find seem to be the favorite loot.

Wanted the "job" herself.

It certainly is a symptom of sorry prosperity when the Nye street will take a job of printing worth \$6.00 for only \$2.50, that when it is finally completed, looks like it had been set up by a blind man and printed with apple butter in a hay press.—The Waverly Democrat.

A committee named to make an invoice of the property owned by Ross county, used for infirmity purposes, reported more than \$120,000 worth of farms and buildings found.

The Chesbrough Manufacturing company, makers of the famous vasoline, pays 40 per cent. dividends a year on its stock.

Piqua is to have in the near future a fine new theater building devoted exclusively to motion picture plays.

Any farmer who has land too wet to farm will be supplied with basket willow cuttings just for the asking. About a hundred sprouts of several varieties will be sent to those wishing to make a trial of the industry and the only thing required is a report of the results.

Every reserved seat in the huge Redland baseball field has been sold for the opening game between the visiting Cubs and the Reds.

A Missourian has patented a trolley system for conveying electric power to aeroplanes.

The extreme northwestern corner of Siberia will soon be in wireless touch with Vladivostok.

PCOR MAN!



News Item.—J. Pierpont Morgan is now in Egypt collecting art treasures.  
—Gregg in Atlanta Constitution.

## VIEWS OF OTHERS

The managers of the Eastern railroads threatened with a strike of their firemen explained in a published statement the reason why they have refused to join with the firemen in consenting to arbitration under the Eastern act.

They quote P. H. Morrissey, former head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Trainmen, as saying that the defect in the Erdman act was that the interests of the public are not guarded by it and declaring for its amendment so that the arbitration board might have three, five, or seven or nine members, depending upon the magnitude of the issue, with the neutral representatives holding the balance of power.

While there is much to be said on behalf of the managers' contention and Mr. Morrissey's criticism of the act, the present difference as to the form of arbitration should take, could not have arisen if the act had provided, as it should have provided, for compulsory arbitration. The managers are right in asserting that in disputes of this character the third party in interest is the public, but this interest is indissolubly bound up in the prevention of strikes, and the only sure remedy against them is compulsory arbitration. In the long

run public opinion will force this policy on public service corporations and labor unions, whether they will or not. It is the sole safe-guard against the paralysis of communication, a vital necessity to business and society.—Brooklyn Citizen.

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# WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS IN HIS OWN TIMES



By W. H. RICHARDSON



MINIATURE OF WASHINGTON PAINTED BY WILLIAM BIRCH IN 1796.

IF the newspapers and diarists of Washington's day may be taken as tolerably fair reports the birthday of that great and good man was celebrated in his own times in a style. His fellow citizens certainly seemed to think the occasion a fitting one for a big demonstration, and they made it. They fired salutes and rang bells. Their bands played, and their cannon roared. They drank toasts, and they made speeches. Poets wrote odes and prose people eulogies. Altogether the wonder is how so sane a man as Washington could have looked upon it all and kept his composure.

The earliest public recognition of Washington's birthday, according to one of our authorities, was in 1781. In that year the Count de Rochambeau wrote to Washington from Newport that they were going to have a party in his honor and that they would celebrate the day "with the sole regret that your excellency will not be a witness of the effusion and gladness of our hearts." And, by the way, the day then recognized was Feb. 11, according to the old style calendar.

In 1791, when the president "attained to the fifty-ninth year of his age, the same was celebrated here (in Philadelphia) with every demonstration of public joy. The artillery and light infantry corps of the city were paraded, and at 12 o'clock a federal salute was fired." There was also a levee, when "100 ladies, elegantly if not superbly dressed (the distinction in adjectives is a fine one), graced the ballroom." The foreign ministers, heads of departments, civic functionaries, "strangers and citizens of distinction were presented to the president on this auspicious occasion."

Washington was in Philadelphia for his birthday the next year, and there was a still greater turmoil of cannon, muskets and bells. A great ball was given in the old City Dancing academy on the 21st of February. It was got up by the "aristocracy," and, of course, their invitations didn't get much further than the guests of honor. A good many people who called themselves respectable were not bidden, so those unfortunates, not altogether undismayed at the slight, got up their own assembly and had a ball to themselves on the night of the 22d. Washington was the central figure at both affairs.

The mayor caused this formal statement to be published: "The permission for firing cannon within the limits of this city on the anniversary of the birth of the illustrious president of the United States is most cheerfully granted, and I sincerely pray to the great Author of all that he will permit similar orders to be given many, many years after this."

Another form of popular regard for Washington was given expression on his birthday by those who had a weakness for dropping into verse. The character and career of Washington made him a shining mark for the Silas Weggsses who had lines to aim. In one of the papers for Feb. 22, 1792, a gentleman who signs himself "W. P." strikes up his lyre and lets her go as follows:

Ye bells, be hushed! Thou voice of flattery cease!  
Can you applaud our chief in war and peace?  
But let each heart with gratitude adore  
That power who governs air and earth and sea.  
He gave us Washington, who made us free.  
Such be the strains on this auspicious day.  
As may evince, with reason we obey,  
And let this truth the solemn page adorn—  
That Washington for all the age was born!

Then there was another rimester, who in the Gazette of the United States, under the name of "Ella" (perhaps the ancestress of our own Wheeler Wilcox), grinds out a column on the same subject, the opening stanza of which is as follows:

Oft has the poet's vernal song,  
Correctly mean and elegantly low,  
Told the false plaudits of the courtly throng  
And waked a smile on Grandeur's brow.  
But here hath Virtue's guardian hand  
Torn from the siren Adulation's power  
The man whose praise, the voice of every land,  
Hangs on the lips of every parting hour.

Dunlap's Advertiser, in Philadelphia, for example, was an administration paper, heart and soul, body and breeches, yet it seeks to excuse its customary literary jamboree when writing up Washington's sixty-first birthday: "Disclaiming, as we do, all pretensions to adulation, it was impossible for us, it is impossible for any

American or perhaps for the people of any nation upon earth, to refrain from expressing a degree of satisfaction at the return of every revolving year that prolongs the life of a man whose virtues have raised him to the very highest pitch of esteem.

"Oft as this auspicious day,  
Sacred to memory, shall return  
Let Freedom pour the grateful lay  
And hasty (sic) tyrants mourn!"

But for all Mr. Dunlap's ponderous and luscious compliments there were those who had different opinions, and one dissenter was bluff William MacLay, who was frank enough to say of the man whom so many almost deified, "Would to God that this same General Washington were in heaven!" To his notion that was the proper home for such a spirit, and we fancy it must have been really refreshing to Washington to step out of the slush of rhetorical brainstorms into the dry but perhaps rough road of MacLay's making.

The last birthday Washington was to celebrate in Philadelphia as chief magistrate of the nation was in 1797, and, naturally enough, there was an extraordinary zest in the exercises on that occasion. The press of the day abounded in unusually highfaluting references to Washington's greatness, the "upper case" box being largely overworked in the composition of their eulogistic articles. The day was ushered in by the customary salutes of cannon and bell ringing. Later the members of congress and the governor and the legislature of the state called upon the president officially. In the afternoon there was a reception at his house that taxed its capacity to the utmost.

In the evening a ball was given at Rickett's amphitheater, which then occupied the ground at the southwest corner of Sixth and Chestnut streets. This function, says Clappole's American Daily Advertiser, "for splendor, taste and elegance was perhaps never equaled by any similar entertainment in the United States."

The Advertiser also published a French poem—English having been exhausted in previous laudatory endeavor—certifying anew to Washington's character and ability. Immediately under the poem was printed an advertisement calling attention to the ball that was to be given that night and cautioning prospective guests not to forget their tickets, and "if any subscribers through mistake should not have received their tickets they are requested to leave notice in writing at Mr. Oellers' hotel."

The last two birthdays of his life Washington celebrated on the date set by the old style calendar, Feb. 11. In both years, according to his own memoranda, he went up to Alexandria from Mount Vernon, received the congratulations of his friends and participated in the ball or the "maneuvers" arranged by the citizens.

## The Boy With the Hatchet

By JAMES ARTHUR.

**H**EAR'D a dandy story t'other day about a guy  
That my teacher telled us couldn't never tell a lie.  
W'en it comes to fairy tales, that's cert'nly a peach.  
Didn't say what ailed him—maybe stoppage in his speech.

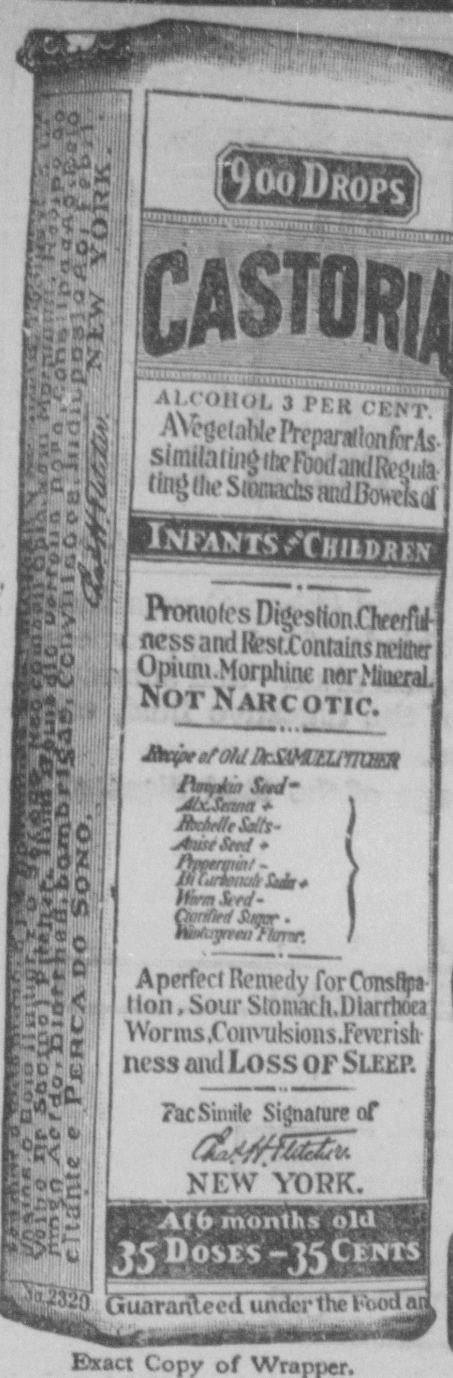
Name was Washington, who licked the British king, says she.  
He was our first president an' set the country free.  
Wisht that I'd been him, I do, an' if I had, you bet,  
I'd 've chased the redcoats an' 've licked em harder yet.

Once, my teacher says, when George was 'bout as big as me  
He got a new hatchet an' cut down a cherry tree.  
W'en his pop got home that night, my, he was awful mad,  
For he said that cherry tree was 'ist the best they had.  
An' "Who chopped it down?" he roared, 'ist that way, an',  
oh, my,

George was awful skeered, you bet, but couldn't tell a lie,  
So he says, "I did it wiv my hatchet," an', by jing,  
That was why, my teacher says, he licked the British king.

W'en his pop heard that he grabbed an' hugged that boy o' his,  
An' he says, "That's better'n all the cherry trees they is."

An' my teacher says if we 'ud never tell a lie  
Maybe we 'ud all of us be presidents by an' by.  
So I have a hatchet an' am lookin' for a tree.  
I'll chop all the cherry trees we have, an' you'll 'ist see  
That I'll march wight in an' tell my pop, an' nen some day  
Maybe I'll be president, 'ist like my teacher say.



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## BRITISH "SKOITS" SUBMITTED A PROBLEM

OFFICERS ARE PERPLEXED

Do Not Know How to Deal With Inflammatory Mrs. Pankhurst.

London, Feb. 22.—Reginald McKenna, the home secretary, has not yet taken any action against the suffragets for their outbreaks, in response to the growing public outcry, except to call for the reports of the inflammatory speeches made by Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst and the other leaders of the militants, and perplexed inquiries of the permanent officials as to what on earth can be done.

In a speech at Chelsea Mrs. Pankhurst repeated the fiery language she used at Cardiff. She challenged the government to prosecute her as the instigator of the recent outrages, and said among other things: "You can not govern us. If we refuse to be governed there is no power on earth that can govern us."

Admission to the Chelsea meeting was by ticket only, but some of the suffragets were squeezed in and caused frequent interruptions.

One of these interruptions, when Mrs. Pankhurst asked "How are you going to end it?" shouted out, "By putting you in the zoo."

Another meeting at Edmonton was broken up by a hostile crowd and the police had to clear the hall.

The Standard says that a plot has been discovered by which the suffragets plan to kidnap members of the cabinet, and that therefore precautions in this direction have been redoubled.

## An Exile From Russia Ends His Life In Windy City

Chicago, Feb. 22.—Count Francois Von Detling, a Russian, died a suicide in St. Anthony's hospital. Von Detling had escaped from Siberia, where he had been exiled by Russia. His name and title were found in papers opened by the police. "I have found no honest person in the world," was an expression in one of four letters written in the Russian language which Von Detling wrote shortly before he shot himself.

## Whole Bunch for Complete Restoration

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the father of the measure and the house leaders. That the opposition will have influence behind it also is admitted. That this opposition will be of sufficient strength to defeat the measure or force amendments into it is not conceded by its friends. They say it will pull through with a large majority.

Senator Green is as certain his measure will be accepted by the house without amendments as he was that it would pass the senate by a large majority. He intends to play his last card with the same care as he plays the first.

Speaker Swain, in order to be in position to direct his forces in the most effective manner, will surrender his gavel and take his seat amidst his colleagues. As lieutenants he will have W. B. Kilpatrick of Trumbull, Oliver J. Thatcher of Clinton and others. The former is a Democrat, the latter a Republican.

State Chairman W. L. Finley is conducting Governor Cox's campaign in favor of the measure.

Employers opposed to the bill have invited legislators to attend meetings in hope of converting them to their views. Such meetings have been arranged in many of the cities.

## Halted by Protest of U. S. A.

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alarming reports have been received from the provinces as to revolts in four states against the temporary government. Dispatches received here say that Sonora, Agua Calientes, Coahuila and Nueva Leon have declined to recognize Huerta's authority and are preparing to fight. General Huerta and his cabinet are planning to send troops against the rebellious governors.

### Elder Diaz to Return.

Mexico City, Feb. 22.—Friends of General Porfirio Diaz received a cablegram from Madrid which informed them that the old dictator expects to leave Madrid at once to return to Mexico City.

### Kills Huge Wildcat.

Astoria, O., Feb. 22.—Fred Snyder, living near Astoria, shot a wildcat, which weighed 30 pounds, in the woods near his home. Snyder's dog had treed the animal.

## PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD.

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## Boil And Bubble Toil And Trouble

Taft May Bequeath Treasury Department Wrangle to Wilson.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Disagreement between Secretary MacVeagh and Assistant Secretary Curtis of the treasury department has confronted President Taft with another difficult problem he may find necessary to leave over to his successor.

Mr. Curtis insists that positions of naval officers, surveyors and appraisers be abolished at all ports; that unless they are eliminated the plan will not save \$700,000 a year, and the plan may not be ratified.

Mr. MacVeagh, on the other hand, asserts that a port's business can not be conducted without these officers.

## Some Few Saw Movies In Ohio's Theaters

Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—There are 924 motion picture theatres in Ohio, with a daily attendance of 1,600,000 persons. This statement was made to the house judiciary committee by M. A. Neff, of Cincinnati, president of the National Association of Motion Picture Proprietors, in support of pending bills for the examination and licensing of operators and the censorship of the films. Mr. Neff is in favor of the bills.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancakes make a really delicious wholesome breakfast.

## President Very Sorry But Cannot Be There

TAFT CANNOT ATTEND

Will Be Unable to Review Suffraget Parade March 3.

Washington, Feb. 22.—According to information received at the suffraget headquarters neither President Taft nor President-elect Wilson will be present on March 3 to review the suffraget parade that will march down Pennsylvania avenue from Capitol hill. Mrs. Taft, however, will occupy the presidential box with a party of friends.

President Taft sent word, in response to an invitation, that it would not be possible for him to review the parade, because of the great pressure of business incident to the transfer of his executive duties to his successor. President-elect Wilson can not be present because he is not due in Washington until after the parade is over.

It was announced that President Taft has promised the suffragists a special cavalry escort for their procession. The detachment will act as a guard along the line of march.

## Examiner Of Banks Denies All

BAXTER ENTERS DENIAL

Says He Has No Knowledge of Irregularity In His Department.

Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—"I have no official knowledge of the alleged misuse of \$37,000 of the Columbus Savings and Trust company funds," said State Bank Superintendent F. E. Baxter at his home in Lima.

His statement was prompted by disclosures of the removal of that amount from the funds of the trust company last spring, following its failure. According to information in the hands of Attorney General Hogan and Prosecutor Turner the \$37,000 was used by Mr. Baxter to pay off a private debt in New York. It was returned in three weeks.

## Last Chance For Cetone

Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—His last chance to avoid the sentence of three years in the Ohio Penitentiary was tried by former Senator George K. Cetone of Montgomery county, when he filed a motion in the supreme court for leave to file a petition in error to the court of appeals of Franklin county. Attorney-General T. S. Hogan and Prosecuting Attorney E. C. Turner will resist the motion for a review of the case.

## OHIO HAPPENINGS

Cox Advises Farm Boys.

Van Wert, O., Feb. 22.—In his address to 82 farm boys who successfully participated in the corn growing contest, Governor Cox, among other things, said: "You thought your dad wasn't wise when he let you go into the contest, but he was; he knew he would get more corn next year." The governor pleaded with the boys to remain on the farm, asserting that the boys of the city did not have as brilliant a prospect for the future as the boys on the farms.

Will Make Own Gas.

Zanesville, O., Feb. 22.—Manufacturing potters of Roseville, Crooksville and Zanesville, at a meeting here, decided to send a manufacturer to Staffordshire, England, next month to investigate the Muns gas system. The potters intend to install their own gas plants here, because, they assert, the Fuel Supply company charges them 15 cents, while manufacturers in other cities are given gas for 13 cents.

Aged Woman Drops Dead.

Zanesville, O., Feb. 22.—While going after a pitcher of milk for her pet cat, Mary Moore, 60, was stricken with heart trouble. She fell to the street and died in 10 minutes. Her relatives are not known.

Girl Rescues Drowning Man.

Ashtabula, O., Feb. 22.—Miss Mary Madden saved William Nelson from drowning by lying on the ice and throwing him one end of her scarf, to which he clung while she called for help.

Ticket Office Robbed.

Mansfield, O., Feb. 22.—The Erie railroad ticket office in the Union depot here was held up and robbed by a masked man, who obtained about \$250.

## A NEW KIND OF THIEF.

"Second Story Men" Got Away With Williams' Roof.

Chicago.—Of all the odd booty of thieves shown in the police records the most curious was reported when E. A. Williams, who lives alone and works at night, complained that thieves had stolen the roof of his house.

Williams' house is a one room affair on which he had just renewed the roof. The new timber evidently was regarded as valuable.

## COMES RIGHT BACK

Actress Sued For Alienation Goes Accuser \$40,000 Better.

New York Feb. 22.—Alleging that her character has been ruined by the fact that she has been deemed and treated as a prostitute, Miss Florence Smythe, an actress, filed suit in the supreme court against Mrs. Theodore Roberts, wife of a well-known actor, for \$100,000 damages. This is the sequel to a suit brought a few days ago by Mrs. Roberts, who charged that Miss Smythe had alienated the affections of her husband and asked \$50,000 for that reason.

Chicago Sleetbound.

Chicago, Feb. 22.—This city was all but isolated from communication with the outside world. Wires in every direction within a radius of 60 miles of the city went down under their loads of sleet. Most railroads were without wires out of Chicago, and only a few had one or more.

Mrs. Thaw Makes Denial.

Pittsburg, Feb. 22.—Mrs. William Thaw, mother of Harry K. Thaw, denied that an attempt had been made, with the consent or knowledge of the Thaw family, to bribe Dr. John W. Russell, superintendent of the Mat-tewan state hospital for the criminal insane, or any person else, with a view of effecting her son's release.

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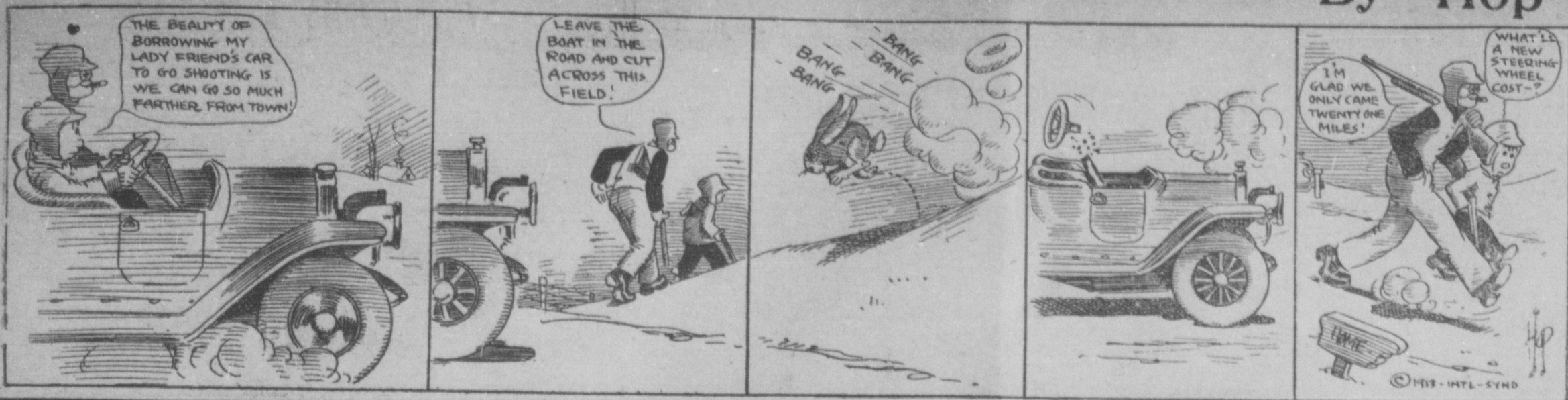
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Tuesday, Feb. 25th, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., one mile north of Jeffersonville.

Draft Mares.

Green and Cox.

Tuesday, February 25th, 1913, 12 o'clock, noon, at Cox Livery barn, Washington C. H., Ohio.

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H. W. Graves.

Wednesday, February 26th, 1913 commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., on the Story farm, 6 miles west of Washington, 4 miles east of Sabina on the Rattlesnake road.

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A. C. Shepherd.

Wednesday, February 26th, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the Prairie pike, 4 miles south of Sedalia, 4 miles east of Jeffersonville and 11 miles north of Washington C. H.

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Elizabeth A. Caylor.

Margaret A. Haines.

Adms. of T. M. Worthington. Wednesday, February 26th, 1913, 10 o'clock a. m., at the Worthington residence, Buena Vista.

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## A Camera at Mount Vernon



Upper left—Hall and stairway in mansion. Upper right—The parlor. Left center—Old farmhouse on the estate. Right center—The mansion. Lower left—The kitchen. Lower right—Washington's tomb.

## THE SPELL OF MOUNT VERNON

By JAMES A. EDGERTON.

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IT has been nearly seventeen years since I first saw Mount Vernon, but the impression is yet fresh and vivid. There were really two views, one when I passed the place on a Potomac boat and the other when I visited the home and tomb. I cannot quite put into words the spell that cast over me, and perhaps to do so would dispel some of the charm. I have visited Mount Vernon since, but never with the same feeling of exaltation or the same revealing sense of the greatness of him who dwelt there.

Probably I should explain at this point that up to that time I had never had the highest appreciation of the immortal George. While little more than a boy I had read history somewhat and formed a boy's conclusions. Washington's attitude toward France in his last days had impressed me as smacking of ingratitude, his state coach and court trimmings as having a touch of aristocracy and even his generalship as revealing weak spots, since he could not win victories or hold his army together. More than all, being a Jeffersonian, I resented his apparent leaning toward Hamilton and the Federalists.

## When Washington Laughed.

While I had scarcely formulated these thoughts, they were lurking somewhere in the back of my head as I made my first journey to the historic shrine. The trolley running to Mount Vernon starts from Washington, crosses the Potomac, whirled through the silent fields, red clay banks and oak forests of Virginia, passes between the ancient buildings and over the cobblestones of Alexandria, hums across other fields, forests and red clay gashes in the landscape and finally brings up at a small and very modern cross between a building and a shack near the ancient gate of an estate.

It was a day in September when I traversed all this, and I think the spell began to work on me before I reached the colonial gateway. The Sabbath stillness perhaps had something to do with it. Autumn sunshine has a touch of magic in it anyway, especially amid quiet hills and wooded stretches.

Before reaching the house there was a long run through the timber. It must have been here that Justice Bushrod Washington and Chief Justice John Marshall, although he did not become chief justice till Adams' term, once were the cause of great laughter to the immortal George. They were on a visit to the general and had brought along a change of clothes, so that they could remove the stains of travel. In the wood they stopped to don the clean garments, only to discover after disrobing that they had left their bag and picked up that of a peddler, so that in place of the necessary trousers and coats they had only a lot of old pots and kettles. Their shouts of laughter at this discovery brought the general to the scene, who, when he saw their plight, laughed so tremendously that he lay down on the ground and rolled with great whoops.

Not dignified, you say, but very human withal and bringing us common mortals closer to the Father of His Country.

Maybe this was the same wood and

maybe not. Anyway it pleased me to think so, nor did I want to spoil the impression by stopping to inquire. Once within the gate itself I remember several great trees. I do not recall what variety they were, only that they were stately and solemn. Some of them seemed old enough to have been alive when G. W. was on earth.

## Before the Tomb.

I am not going to describe Mount Vernon. That has been done 50,000 times and is a bromide. I am only trying to tell its psychological effects on one visitor. I wandered about in my own way, asking no questions of anybody. I think it was when I was in the house that the spell really began to work. I saw the key of the Bastille presented by Lafayette through Thomas Paine, the music room, the living and dining room, the hallway, the bedroom where Washington died, and all the time I was soaking in a little more of the impression. Then I got out on the front veranda, a regular colonial porch with two story pillars, and looked down the steep, long hill to the



WASHINGTON STATUE BY J. Q. A. WARD.

shimmer of the Potomac. By this time the spell was working overtime.

I hardly knew what led my feet along a walk gradually curving down the hill among the trees. I knew not what lay at the end, but only drifted on, thinking many things and feeling things that scarcely took the form of thoughts. Suddenly the path curved more sharply and ended at the door of a tomb. On it, woven in flowers, appeared the single name, "Washington."

It was here that the spell really took hold of me with all its force. I had an inner vision of the majesty and purity of a great soul. I saw here the hallowed shrine of a mighty nation and of races of men unborn. This tomb was an end and a beginning, the end of a life, but the beginning of an earthly as well as of a higher immortality. This grave, as much as that of Abraham, marked the dawn of a new era in the history of mankind.

In some subtle way, almost unconsciously to myself, my preconceived notions of Washington crumbled and gave place to others infinitely higher, more sympathetic and more just. There was no tangible thing to convince me of error, no appeal to my reason. No one spoke to me except an old colored servant, who said that he remembered Washington and looked ancient enough to have done so. No

argument was made. Yet my heart was won, which is perhaps a gateway to the understanding with us all.

As I walked slowly up the hill the spell swept over me with even greater power. I felt the thoughts of a nation concentrated upon this place. They were almost palpable. And not only of a nation, but in a sense of all mankind. Those in every land hoping for better days and for the dawn of justice thought of Washington. His name had become the symbol of republicanism and liberty. It was no longer that of a man only, but the badge of a worldwide cause. Republics would blossom all round the earth, and of each one of them this man in some sense would be the spiritual father.

Then I saw the character of this white soul in a new light, his unselfishness, his patience, his faith, the way he had won over great obstacles and over heartbreaking desertions and indifference. I thought of his longing for this quiet and beautiful retreat and how he gave it all up to serve his fellow men. I saw his justice, his balance, his wisdom, his spiritual insight. More than all, I saw how he had become emblematic of the hopes of the race. Then I realized that the defects which I had beheld, even if they existed, were but spots on the sun. In the divine currents of history things do not happen by accident. This man was the worthy leader of the greatest group that had appeared on earth in 1,800 years.

## Cincinnatus of the West.

From the broad bosom of the Potomac Mount Vernon presents yet a new aspect. Here it is seen as a slight rise, a little hillock in the high shore line. The house is scarcely visible among the trees. The hand plays as we pass it, and one involuntarily clutches off a hat and feels a thrill and a choking, for the spell again is on him—the spell of Washington, which is perhaps the mightiest name in the political history of the human race.

Standing by the railing of the boat on this autumn day so long ago came to my mind the stanza that Byron added to his "Ode to Napoleon:"

Where may the wearied eye repose  
When gazing on the great,  
Where neither guilty glory glows  
Nor despicable state?

Yes, one, the first, the last, the best,  
The Cincinnatus of the west,  
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